

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Kunichika KUBOTA, et al. Docket No: Q88482  
Appln. No.: 10/538,367 Group Art Unit: 1793  
Confirmation No.: 6022 Examiner: Caitlin Anne FOGARTY  
Filed: June 13, 2005

For: COLD DIE STEEL EXCELLENT IN CHARACTERISTIC OF SUPPRESSING  
DIMENSIONAL CHANGE

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

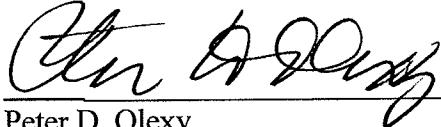
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 24, 2008 to December 24, 2008.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$490.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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